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Employer location	Total	Scientists	Computer and information scientists	Mathematical scientists	Life and related scientists	Physical and related scientists	Social and related scientists	Psychologists	Engineers	Non-S&E occupations
All locations.....	\$70,000	\$64,700	\$80,000	\$61,000	\$61,000	\$70,000	\$60,000	\$58,700	\$80,000	\$82,000
New England.....	70,000	65,000	81,000	65,000	57,000	71,000	65,000	57,500	78,400	84,600
Connecticut.....	78,000	73,400	80,000	S	73,000	80,000	75,000	64,000	80,000	100,000
Maine.....	60,000	52,000	S	S	45,500	52,000	54,000	65,000	S	65,000
Massachusetts.....	70,000	65,000	85,000	63,000	57,000	71,000	68,300	55,000	79,000	83,000
New Hampshire.....	62,000	57,000	80,000	S	42,500	46,600	S	52,000	75,000	82,000
Rhode Island.....	65,000	57,000	S	S	46,000	80,200	57,000	52,000	74,000	66,000
Vermont.....	55,000	47,000	S	S	51,000	S	44,500	41,500	85,000	60,000
Middle Atlantic.....	75,000	69,000	85,000	68,300	66,800	73,500	64,000	60,000	82,000	90,000
New Jersey.....	84,000	80,000	90,000	82,500	76,000	80,000	75,000	70,000	89,000	101,000
New York.....	72,000	65,000	85,000	65,000	61,000	73,000	60,000	60,000	81,000	90,000
Pennsylvania.....	68,800	64,000	66,500	63,000	64,000	67,000	65,500	59,000	77,600	80,000
East North Central.....	67,000	61,000	68,300	60,000	61,000	65,000	58,000	55,000	75,000	75,000
Illinois.....	69,000	65,000	75,000	63,000	62,000	65,000	64,000	56,000	75,000	75,000
Indiana.....	64,900	60,000	54,000	45,000	62,500	70,000	58,500	60,000	68,000	88,000
Michigan.....	70,600	62,000	68,000	68,000	61,000	63,100	60,000	57,000	80,000	80,000
Ohio.....	65,000	60,000	65,000	65,000	63,000	65,000	53,000	53,000	70,000	73,000
Wisconsin.....	60,000	55,000	62,000	S	55,000	68,000	53,000	50,000	68,000	64,000
West North Central.....	60,000	56,000	71,000	51,000	60,000	59,000	50,000	53,300	74,000	72,000
Iowa.....	58,900	54,000	S	51,000	60,000	42,000	54,000	52,000	65,000	67,000
Kansas.....	53,000	50,000	S	S	52,000	48,500	47,500	55,000	72,400	52,000
Minnesota.....	67,000	60,000	82,300	70,000	60,000	67,000	52,000	56,000	78,000	84,000
Missouri.....	62,000	55,000	72,000	53,500	58,000	55,000	55,000	46,000	78,300	80,000
Nebraska.....	54,000	55,000	S	S	60,000	S	S	60,000	S	S
North Dakota.....	60,000	61,000	S	S	66,000	61,000	S	60,000	S	60,000
South Dakota.....	50,000	48,000	S	S	51,000	S	S	S	S	50,000
South Atlantic.....	71,000	66,000	75,000	66,000	64,600	70,000	66,000	60,000	80,000	82,000
Delaware.....	85,000	84,400	68,000	S	88,000	89,000	S	S	90,400	87,000
District of Columbia.....	85,000	80,000	73,000	69,600	67,000	82,000	89,000	65,000	90,000	95,200
Florida.....	60,000	55,000	62,000	48,000	58,000	59,000	50,000	55,000	70,000	71,000
Georgia.....	65,000	60,000	80,000	53,500	60,000	59,400	50,000	56,000	82,000	71,000
Maryland.....	73,500	69,000	70,000	73,300	65,000	75,400	62,000	56,000	89,000	87,000
North Carolina.....	70,000	65,000	77,000	60,000	70,000	61,000	56,000	56,000	75,000	81,000
South Carolina.....	60,000	59,000	S	S	55,000	66,000	47,500	55,000	73,000	65,000
Virginia.....	75,000	69,000	87,700	78,600	64,000	70,000	60,000	65,000	84,500	85,000
West Virginia.....	69,000	65,000	S	S	60,000	72,000	72,000	S	75,000	72,000

See explanatory information and SOURCE at end of table.

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East South Central.....	\$63,000	\$58,000	\$65,000	\$50,100	\$57,500	\$64,000	\$50,000	\$63,000	\$70,000	\$78,000
Alabama.....	68,000	60,000	S	59,400	60,000	68,000	50,000	50,000	74,500	90,000
Kentucky.....	57,200	55,000	S	60,000	54,000	63,000	47,000	65,000	S	61,200
Mississippi.....	62,000	60,000	S	S	60,000	61,000	S	S	75,000	75,000
Tennessee.....	65,000	59,000	59,000	S	55,000	65,000	53,000	65,000	66,000	78,000
West South Central.....	68,700	62,000	75,000	50,000	60,000	72,000	58,000	56,000	80,000	80,000
Arkansas.....	57,000	55,000	S	S	55,000	70,200	50,000	54,300	S	85,000
Louisiana.....	65,000	62,000	S	50,000	61,000	68,000	56,000	50,500	76,000	70,000
Oklahoma.....	56,000	55,000	S	S	62,000	58,000	55,000	55,000	60,000	58,500
Texas.....	70,900	65,000	79,000	52,000	60,000	76,000	58,400	57,000	80,000	80,000
Mountain.....	66,000	60,000	76,000	60,000	55,000	73,000	51,000	54,500	79,000	74,000
Arizona.....	65,000	60,000	80,000	S	55,000	70,000	50,000	65,000	74,000	62,000
Colorado.....	64,600	60,000	83,000	54,000	56,000	65,000	53,000	55,000	79,000	80,000
Idaho.....	66,000	55,000	S	S	46,000	66,000	S	S	75,000	78,000
Montana.....	50,400	50,000	S	S	43,000	S	S	S	S	S
New Mexico.....	78,000	74,000	76,000	S	59,000	82,000	42,000	45,000	82,000	85,000
Nevada.....	75,000	75,000	S	S	S	80,000	S	90,000	70,500	85,200
Utah.....	62,000	55,000	80,000	S	55,000	51,000	55,000	47,000	74,000	72,000
Wyoming.....	52,000	52,000	S	S	S	65,000	S	S	S	S
Pacific.....	75,000	68,300	85,000	60,500	64,000	73,000	61,000	62,000	83,400	90,000
Alaska.....	61,000	59,000	S	S	56,000	61,000	S	S	S	S
California.....	80,000	72,500	90,000	61,000	68,000	75,000	65,400	65,000	85,000	98,000
Hawaii.....	60,000	60,000	S	S	60,000	72,300	59,000	S	S	56,000
Oregon.....	62,000	59,000	70,000	S	53,000	62,000	57,000	50,000	72,000	66,000
Washington.....	62,400	58,500	64,000	60,000	56,000	60,500	54,000	57,000	75,000	73,000
Puerto Rico.....	48,000	42,000	S	S	42,000	S	S	S	S	65,000
Other U.S. territories and other areas.....	69,000	70,000	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	63,000

**KEY:** S=Suppressed due to too few cases (fewer than 200 weighted cases).

**NOTES:** Since the survey sample design does not include geography, the reliability of estimates in some states may be poor due to small sample size.  
Salaries are rounded to nearest hundred.

**SOURCE:** National Science Foundation/Division of Science Resources Statistics, 1999 Survey of Doctorate Recipients